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OMENAS.

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Twenty of rain, but no mud; this is a weekly occurrence.

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This is still a free country.
more for your goods elsewhere
a good deal more, but if money
to you come and buy where
Sea Island percales at 10 & 12

THE GOLDEN

urday evening at 4 P. M.

There will be a spelling contest at the Lobelia school house Friday night, June 12th. We have champion spellers.

Miss Mabel C. Whiting has been visiting relatives in this vicinity of late, and I think some young men have been casting sheep's eyes.

The students of the free school branches at this place want the "Common School Diploma," or at least four or five are very anxious.

A football team is in process of organization here. You Marlinton Mansters have another foe upon the field. "The Red Star" will kick her lively.

Singing every Sunday in this part. Come on with your musical talent.

All seem to be perfectly satisfied with the returns of the election.

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KNAPP'S CREEK.

Laugh when you feel like laughing. Come to festival at Frost on Saturday, June 13th.
Joe Buzzard was around, and he is as happy as a man in a corral and the dogs tied up.
Sheriff J. C. Adams was on the Creek last week, inviting people to court.
Mrs. Jane Moore and Myrtle Harold spent a few days in Highland County last week.
Milled Harold and William Gibson took their wool to Monterey and traded for dry goods and notions.
Lena Moore, of Edgely, is visiting at E. M. Hannah's.
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With best wishes for E. I. Holt
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If you want to buy bargains we have them to sell. Our store-house is not large, but we expect to make room for a Wagon Load of New Goods every week this Summer.
We are selling goods lower than any merchant in the county, and our customers are witnesses to this fact.

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Burden Horse Shoes, No. 4,	12c
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Good Green Coffee,	17c
Good Carolina Rice,	9c
Good Lamp Oil,	18c

We will take in exchange for goods

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BEESWAX AND GINSENG.

Give us your patronage and we will give you bargains.
Yours for Business,
L. D. SHARP,
LINWOOD, W. VA. (a10).

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If you ask of having work done write us for estimate
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MARLINTON, W. VA.
RESPECTFULLY,
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District were T. C. Wood-
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...Prince of Wales was 10 years
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...that he is well, and will soon
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...H. ANDREW will be at Court
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...LARGELY attended and a very
...enting musical concert was
...at Hamilton Chapel last Sun-
...afternoon, led by Jacob Smith,
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...primary election in Green-
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...of B. F. Harlow and Dr.
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...A. Preston, Prosecuting At-
...J. D. Arbaugh, County
...Commissioner, Jonathan Mays and
...B. Hunter, Clerks, John W.
...and M. D. Miller, Assessors,
...R. H. Sweeney, Treasurer. There
...over 2,000 votes cast in the
...city.
...HAT is going to make an
...attempt, to take the country
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...for sixty season. Oats so far
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...all stock in doing well. There
...are a tremendous hay crop
...and the weather is just what
...will be a great deal of fruit
...in coming. Gardens have
...looked better than they do in
...years. Take it all in all, this is as
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...FAIR, GRUBBER.

This first thing to be heard at
June Court is the Peabody In-
surance Case, in regard to the fire in-
surance on S. A. Gilmore's store.
A UNIVERSITY man was travel-
ing through Pocahontas not long
since, and saw a flock of sheep
whose tails had been docked.
He was correspondent of a city
newspaper and he wrote that he
had seen a peculiar breed of sheep
here which were remarkable for
their long tails, and suggests as
soon as he returned, that it would
be well for other farmers to introduce
this new variety of sheep.
PERSONAL.
J. R. Warwick, Esq., of Green
Bank, passed through Marlinton
last Thursday. Miss Mary War-
wick, his daughter, has been a pu-
pil in the Lewisburg Female Sem-
inary past session, and acquitted
herself with much credit. We
hear fine reports about all of the
young ladies who have been away
to school, among them Misses Ena
McLaughlin and Mabel Ligon. Har-
vey home returns awaited them all.
Quincy Poage, Esq., of Poage's
Lane, and wife were visitors at
Marlington Friday.
Mrs. Godfrey Geiger from Cleve-
land Creek, was at Marlinton last
week.
Mrs. Anna L. Price is on a vis-
it to her mother in Richmond, Va.
Misses Annette Ligon and Pat
Ragland went to Richmond this
week.
Miss Lula McLaughlin is visit-
ing friends and relatives at this
place.
Willie Bester, of Baltimore, is
with friends at this place.
Miss Grace Clark, of Academy,
is visiting in Charleston.
Lucy Sydenstricker who taught
a most successful term of school at
Rocky Point, Monroe County, is at
home for her vacation.
Mr. Peck and wife from Lobelia
are visiting Mr. Levi Gay, John
Young, and other friends and rela-
tives in the vicinity of Marlinton
and Edroy.
Mr. W. H. Cackley, of Ronee-
verte is in town.
Notice.
The Masonic Temple, at Hunt-
ersville, W. Va. will be dedicated
in accordance with the usages and
customs of the Fraternity on Fri-
day, June 19th at 2 P. M.
A part of the ceremony can be
witnessed by any one while on ac-
count of room a part can only be
witnessed by those having invita-
tions.
Bring your invitation along as
you can not gain admittance with-
out it. The exercise will be
conducted by a well known speaker
which all will be
privileged to hear.
J. WILLIS BAXTER W. M.
A Card.
EDITORS TIMES.—
As I had not previous to the
primary formally announced my-
self a candidate for the office of
County Commissioner, I wish to
acknowledge through your paper
the support of my many friends by
whose aid I received the nomina-
tion, and should I be elected to
the office at the general election, I
promise a faithful discharge of my
duties to the best of my ability.
Respectfully,
JOHN R. WARWICK.
Notice.
I will call at public auction, on
Saturday, June 27th, 1896, at 11 A.
M. 140,000 ft of white pine lum-
ber, on Greenbrier River, near Al-
len Galford's. 80,000 in one lot
and 40,000 in one lot, mostly nine-
inch lumber. This lumber has been
sawed and stacked for five years.
Terms of Sale, 12 months, bond
and security. JAMES WILKINS,
C. R. SWENK, Manager.
June 8, 1896. (2w.)
Call for Senatorial Convention.
A convention of the Democratic
party for the 8th Senatorial Dis-
trict is hereby called to meet at
Hinton, West Virginia, on the
10th day of August, 1896, to nomi-
nate a candidate for the office of
State Senator, and to transact such
other business as may properly
come before it.
JOHN H. JENNINGS, Chairman.
ANDREW PECK, Secretary.
Democracy.
Mr. Editor J. W. Barker's card
in your last issue certainly has the
true Democratic ring.
DEMOCRAT.
The Assurance.
BANKERS OF THE TRUST.
KRAAT'S CHURCH, W. Va. June
1st, 1896.—Joe Kraat is still in
confinement in this part of the coun-
ty.

Lewisburg Female Institute.
Thursday night, June 24, closed
the fourth session of the Lewis-
burg Female Institute under the
management of Rev. R. L. Tolford,
its efficient and very popular Prin-
cipal. The Independent speaks of
this session just closed as the most
prosperous in the history of the
school. The matriculates 100, the
boarders 50, indicating that the
school is growing rapidly in popu-
lar favor and usefulness, and ranks
high among the female colleges of
the South.
On Saturday night previously
Major John W. Harris addressed the
Eumecian Literary Society. His
subject was "Woman." While
the address was thoughtful and
conservative, showing careful prepa-
ration, and the choice, concise and
ornate language. It is stated that
speaker's views on woman's rights
were somewhat in advance of what
is likely to be accepted by the
strictly orthodox of Lewisburg so-
ciety.
Mr. Rennie, of Kentucky,
preached the Baccalaureate ser-
mon Sabbath morning, on "What
think ye of Christ?" in the pres-
ence of one of the largest audi-
ences ever assembled in the Old Stone
Church.
There were two graduates, Misses
Harriet Pence, of Monroe, and
Bessie Echols, of Lewisburg.
Numerous medals and certifi-
cates of proficiency were awarded.
Among the proficients were the
names: Lulu McLaughlin, Ena
Mooman, and Mabel Ligon.
MINGO.
hit amuses us very much to see
so many items in the Times from
section. As I haven't writ to the
times for some time I will note a
few things.
Arthur Isen and Jophel miller
is worked for the Publick now. It
is the halen rock out of the turn-
pike and Piten them on Locust
Place. Isen turned off his hand
that had been worked for him for
over a year because he woden wide
a work hours on the race track for
him.
Jophel miller has spent quite a
bit of time trying to get out of
arthritis teeth and the dentes said
that hit is in paeel for eney one
to git a plate to fit his allgater
mouth for his moutn is like apoor
mans lense—from year to year.
We are glad to hear of the fine
dwelling house that is going up
over old father Beals cave there is
the finest water in the state hit is
so cold that he led his hairlrip hors
in and give him drink and hit
knocked his teeth west and crock-
ed.
Mrs miller miller is existing Dr.
Carners in the Doctern. She has
cured one patient Mrs mary mace
if you want good atenden call on
my miller and you will git hit.
Mr James Rises said he wood
like to borry a liar trap to sit in his
meadow to ketch Purfeer when he
is returning from Beelinton and
traillin his grass down. Purfeer
is acanidate for maturnomey and
will beled think.
The grate prospert of the Rail Road
coming to mingo. Will friel has
has contracted hit from Beverly
to mingo and I feel asuer that hit
will be made for he is a huseler
and then from mingo to white sal-
shur, work will be plenty on his
farm. Friel is a good overseer and I
suppose he will be a good railwayman.
We are glad to say that Mr mar-
tinet Crummet has been over given
J. W. Marshall his orders that if he
wants him to still remain on his
farm that he will haft to purchaser
moer land he wants room accorden
to his grate strants. That is write
narten if at first you dont suckseed
try agsin. He is one of our best
farmers we have in this section
of country and a grate coil breaker
but Beals snake turtle piled him
agently coming from the lexion he
got started and ran all over middle
mountain and went into B B Earn-
shaws slippy Pen. Then he crock-
ed him with a fall.
we are sorroe to say that lather
Hairs got throwed from a hors and
got Radeley wonden he is on the
mend now. BOWLING.
Brother Kils Brother.
As we go to press we learn of a
Intende in Greenbrier County.
Two Blackenship brothers lived
on the noed of Spring Creek. The
elder was married, and it is report-
ed that the younger man had made
improper advances to the wife of
the former. A quarrel arose, and
the elder Blackenship was attack-
ed by his brother, and in self-de-
fence killed him by stabbing him.
He gave himself up and was re-
mained on bail.
There are lively now in view of
the court, meeting on next week.
What do I find you for, that a
stone on your in the fields and
also, will be in the crange.
Then the horse and ploughman
brought plod their way way
leaving Marlinton to darkness,
clouds, and whippers.
The J. C. Bishop Cash Co.,
110 and 112 West Main Street, STAUNTON, VA. 30,000 LBS OF WOOL WANTED AT
15c PER POUND IN GOODS.
Commissioner's Sale.
Pursuant to a decree of the Cir-
cuit Court of Pocahontas County,
West Virginia, rendered on the 9th
day of April, 1896, in the chancery
cause of Jacob Sheets, administra-
tor, vs. Rachel E. A. Sheets, and
others, the undersigned special
commissioner will proceed to sell on
TUESDAY, JUNE 16, 1896,
In front of the court house of Poca-
hontas County, at public auction, to
the highest bidder, two certy
tracts of land, comprising the real-
estate of Jacob Sheets, deceased,
on Back Alleghany Mountain, in
said county, of 135 acres of land, con-
veyed to said Jacob Sheets by J.
H. Arbogast and wife, by deed dated
on the 28th day of April, 1877;
the other tract containing 164 acres
conveyed to said Sheets by W. A.
Tatum and others, by deed dated 27
day of June, 1878. All of the timber
on said 164 acre tract has been
sold to the St. Lawrence Boom and
Manufacturing Company. A part
of the said tract of 135 acres, com-
prising 74 acres, is set apart and
assigned as the dower of the de-
fendant, Rachel E. A. Sheets, in
the lands of Jacob Sheets, deces-
ed, the said Rachel E. A. Sheets,
having a life estate in said 74 acres
the remainder of which only will be
sold. For a more particular de-
scription of this said dower interest
reference is made to said decree of
the 9th of April, 1896.
Said land is partially improved,
and has on it a comfortable dwell-
ing and out houses.
TERMS OF SALE: Sufficient cash
in hand to pay the cost of this suit
and expenses of sale, and upon a
credit as to the residue of the pur-
chase money of 6, 12, and 18 months
in equal installments, bearing in-
terest from the day of sale, the
purchaser giving bond for said de-
ferred installments, with good per-
sonal security, and retaining a lien
on said land as ultimate security.
L. M. McINTIC,
Special Commissioner.
J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk of the
Circuit Court of Pocahontas County,
do hereby certify that the commissioner
above has executed bond as re-
quired by law.
J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.
Commissioner's Sale.
Pursuant to a decree of the cir-
cuit court of Pocahontas County,
West Virginia, on the 7th day of
April, 1896, in the chancery cause
of R. L. Nottingham vs. J. C. Arbo-
gast, trustee, and others, the un-
der signed special commissioner
will on the
16TH DAY OF JUNE, 1896,
At the front door of the court
house of said county, offer for sale
at public auction to the highest
bidder four tracts or parcels of
land containing respectively 45
acres, 14 acres, 33 acres, and 96
acres, aggregating 194 acres, sold
as the lands of the defendants, Geo.
S. Phillips and Crish Phillips.
Said land is all situated on Deer
Creek, in the Green Bank district,
in said county, and is a part of the
old Fred P. Phillips estate. It is
entirely improved, and constitutes
a desirable farm.
TERMS OF SALE: So much cash
in hand as will pay the costs of
suit and expenses of sale, and as to
the residue of the purchase money
upon a credit of six, twelve, and
eighteen months in equal install-
ments, bearing interest from day
of sale, taking from the purchaser
bonds for the deferred installments
of the purchase money, with good
personal security, and a lien to be
retained as ultimate security.
L. M. McINTIC, Special
Commissioner.
J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk of the
Circuit Court of said Pocahontas
County, do hereby certify that the above
named special commissioner has
executed bond as required by said
decree. J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

CASH AGAINST CREDIT.

BISHOP IS LEADER OF LOW PRICES IN FIRST-QUALITY GOODS.

3c yard for William Simpson's black, grey, and all other best calicoes.	10c for India Linen, credit houses get 15c for this.	9c for shoes that credit houses pay \$1.50 for.
3c for finest Zephyr Gingham, credit houses get \$1.	8c for fine Silks that retail every-where for \$1.	10c for Whitmore's shoe polish, credit houses get for this 50c.
40c for Lowell and all other best 2 ply, all-wool carpets, credit houses get \$1.50.	14c for 814 Mitts that all credit houses get 25c for.	3c for box coffee essence, most people get 5c for this.
15c and 20c for the finest matings, credit people ask 25 and 40c.	814c for child's all-wool Jersey suits, sold by credit people for \$2.	9c for best muscadine, all credit people get 15c for it.
25c for 21 24 26 30s rags, regular price \$1 to \$2.50.	87-48 for men's all-wool suits, \$10 credit houses get \$15 for this.	8c for Red Seal Eye, this is worth 15c.
40c for fine imported Serge and Henri-etta cloth, credit houses ask 75c.	87-48 for 100 piece Union Bet, credit people get \$10 for it.	15c for solid oak sets of furniture, credit people get \$25 for them.
12c for large Lion Towels, credit houses get 15c for them.	10c for paper and envelopes that cost 15c everywhere.	89 for an 8 foot stove, credit houses get \$15 for this.
40c for Ladies' Shirt Waists, credit houses get 75c for them.	3c for wall paper that all credit people get 5c for.	15c for choice green coffee, credit people get 25c for it.
85c for large Lace Curtain, credit people get \$1.50 for these.	3c for straw hats that would cost you 5c elsewhere.	16c for good cases, all credit houses get 25c for it.
		3c for nice, large raisins, worth 5c everywhere.

Above we give a few figures that speak the difference between our Cash prices and that asked by Credit Houses. Our system is the only one that can insure the VERY CLOSEST PRICES.

THE J. C. BISHOP CASH CO.,

110 and 112 West Main Street, STAUNTON, VA. 30,000 LBS OF WOOL WANTED AT 15c PER POUND IN GOODS.

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A Young Man's Fancy

Lightly turns to thoughts of Summer Clothes, and the best place in this section of the country to have a nice, nobby Summer Suit made is at

THE RODES-MORTON CO.,

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Quality Unsurpassed! Fit Guaranteed! Prices Unequaled!

They are represented in this county and along the C. & O. R. R. by Mr. Will Moorfield, who will be pleased to show you his samples.

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"HONEST VALUES."
J. LENKO BROS. & LOEB
"ONE PRICE ONLY."
Fountain Block Charleston, W. Va.

Fair weather ahead of us! Spring season at its height. Finds us well prepared with a stock matchless in variety, unprecedented as to sterling value. Every day a new bargain on our counter. Thus we continually build up and develop.

We can not change daily our ad's. in country newspapers, but whenever your call reaches us, and a special sale is in progress, we give you the benefit of it.

Here are a few Items Worthy Your Attention.

LAWNS: Sets, 61cts, sets, 10cts, 12cts, 15cts.
CHALLIES: Sets, 15cts, 20cts, 25cts, 30cts.
PICOTINES: Sets, 25cts, 30cts, 35cts, 40cts.
PERCALES: yard wide, 7cts, 8cts, 10cts, 11cts, 12cts.
DIMITIES: Sets, 10cts, 12cts, 15cts.
ORGANIZES: 10cts, 12cts, 15cts, up to 50cts per yard.
BATISTES: 61cts, Sets, 12cts, and 15cts.
GRASS LINES and LIXEN EFFECTS—the fad of this season—12cts, 15cts, 17cts, 19cts, 21cts.

Dress Goods.

With the season fairly at its best—prices have dropped. Some are to the lower by 10.
Domestic Cashmere & Henriettes ALL COLORS, double width, 14-16cts, 21cts.
Imported Henriettes and Serges, FULL RANGE OF COLORS, 26 inches wide, all woad, 21cts, 40 inches wide, 26c, 32c, 40c, 50c, 55c, 60c, 65c, 70c, 75c, 80c, 85c, 90c, 95c, 100c, 105c, 110c, 115c, 120c, 125c, 130c, 135c, 140c, 145c, 150c, 155c, 160c, 165c, 170c, 175c, 180c, 185c, 190c, 195c, 200c, 205c, 210c, 215c, 220c, 225c, 230c, 235c, 240c, 245c, 250c, 255c, 260c, 265c, 270c, 275c, 280c, 285c, 290c, 295c, 300c, 305c, 310c, 315c, 320c, 325c, 330c, 335c, 340c, 345c, 350c, 355c, 360c, 365c, 370c, 375c, 380c, 385c, 390c, 395c, 400c, 405c, 410c, 415c, 420c, 425c, 430c, 435c, 440c, 445c, 450c, 455c, 460c, 465c, 470c, 475c, 480c, 485c, 490c, 495c, 500c, 505c, 510c, 515c, 520c, 525c, 530c, 535c, 540c, 545c, 550c, 555c, 560c, 565c, 570c, 575c, 580c, 585c, 590c, 595c, 600c, 605c, 610c, 615c, 620c, 625c, 630c, 635c, 640c, 645c, 650c, 655c, 660c, 665c, 670c, 675c, 680c, 685c, 690c, 695c, 700c, 705c, 710c, 715c, 720c, 725c, 730c, 735c, 740c, 745c, 750c, 755c, 760c, 765c, 770c, 775c, 780c, 785c, 790c, 795c, 800c, 805c, 810c, 815c, 820c, 825c, 830c, 835c, 840c, 845c, 850c, 855c, 860c, 865c, 870c, 875c, 880c, 885c, 890c, 895c, 900c, 905c, 910c, 915c, 920c, 925c, 930c, 935c, 940c, 945c, 950c, 955c, 960c, 965c, 970c, 975c, 980c, 985c, 990c, 995c, 1000c.

We always keep the largest line of SHOES for Men, Women, and Children's wear in the State, at prices to suit you. Queensware, Glassware, Silverware, Baby Buggies, Bicycle Tricycles.

Ladies' Shirt Waists

Will be worn more than ever this season. An immense line kept. Always from \$1.00 to \$1.50 each.

Special attention to mail orders. Send for samples and prices.

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they did to him. He died neglected and forgotten in a room at Va-

He wished to be buried in the New World. In 1590 his bones were carried across the Atlantic to the cathedral of St. Domingo.

When the Spanish abandoned the island, in 1795, they took away what they decided were the bones of Columbus. But in 1877 somebody discovered a case in the cathedral with the name of Columbus on it. There were bones in it, and everybody says those are the

In 1496 the news of the discovery was telegraphed to England, and that year John Cabot discovered the most unpromising part of America—Labrador. He planted there the standard of England and the Lion of St. Mark of Venice. Then he returned. This little summer excursion gave England her big claim to North America.

That same year another explorer, Amerigo Vespucci, sailed for

America. He was most fortunate, for by some accident his name was given to a new world; but everything that happened those days was by accident. Anything carefully planned never materialized.

(To be Continued.)

The Court.

By the time this comes to our readers the June term of the Pocahontas Circuit Court will be in session. Citizens from all parts of

figure very much, as the primary election has for the time being shaped up party concerns for the general election in November.

The one subject likely to awak-

en most interest will be in reference to the road laws, as to the propriety of keeping the highways in order by direct taxation. There is an element in this question that might be seen in kindling up

quite a feeling between the horseless and the buggied and those who are amply horsed and nicely buggied.

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The more one considers the personnel of our court and bar the better one feels as to the safety of our public interests in keeping of the court. It is hoped that the high

better one feels as to the safety of our public interests in keeping the court. It is hoped that the high expectations of the law-abiding may be so realized that recourse to lynching measures may never be thought of for an instant.

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tions. The pagan Romans and Greeks, so-called, had profound respect for the temples and sanctuaries devoted to religious uses. Soldiers belonging to hostile armies, who near a sacred shrine, would be

devoted to religious uses. Soldiers belonging to hostile armies, who near a sacred shrine, would lay their arms aside and meet in peaceful intercourse, so imbued were they with reverential awe of the sacred sources. It required

ful intercourse, so imbued we they with reverential awe of the unseen powers. It required a grand jury or judge then to probe the devotions of the pious. Now it is different. It is sad to think

grand jury or judge then to probe the devotions of the pious. No, it is different. It is sad to think should be so, but it is hoped the affairs will so change that one more in the history of human

It is pleasant to learn that
over the judicial district the p

It is pleasant to learn that over the judicial district the purpose of the voters is to retain the present judge, and so it is encouraging to think that if his life spared we shall have one, for you

...ing to think that if his life spared we shall have one, for yet to come, who will see that the law-abiding shall be protected, and the reckless and lawless restrained, a life in Providence be worth living.

And may our homes and place of devotion be like the Bible in us, and where we are

And may our homes and place
of devotion be like the Bible
store and vine, where our grow-
ing trust, your understanding
and faith.

1 page travel, some understanding of
ing afraid. W. E. F.